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POWER PROBLEM IS BEING CONSIDERED

Progress of Victoria and the Island Demanding
Increased Supply at Lower
Price.

There are indications that the question of power for Victoria will become a vexed one within a short time. The rapid growth of the city and the increased demands for cheap power, electricity being required at the present time as the cheapest and most convenient available.

The B. C. Electric Company recognizes this, and are at present making strenuous efforts to secure additional water rights where the streams may be used to generate power. For some years past the company has not been slow to recognize that a difficulty would have to be faced sooner or later, and plans were laid by them for getting an additional supply. The sudden development of the city has forced the company to move more quickly than was possibly intended, and in consequence a few weeks ago a party was outfitted to make careful investigations looking to an increased water supply.

At present the B. C. Electric Company in so far as Victoria is concerned, depends upon the Esquimalt Water Works Company for its supply of water for power purposes. The contract calls for providing a volume of water up to 15,000,000 gallons a day, which would generate roughly speaking, 322,120 horse power.

The company is using now over 11,000,000 gallons daily with a considerable increase over that on special occasions. During Christmas week, in fact, it is said, their maximum power was closely reached, and over 14,000,000 gallons of water were used.

Under these circumstances the company must very soon get additional power. The necessary extensions of the train lines, and increases in the lighting consequent upon the growth of the city creates serious condition for the electric company. It wishes to keep up with the demands of the city. It is true that the Esquimalt Water Works Company can materially increase the water supply for power purposes. This was brought out in the evidence given at the trial concerning the dispute with the city over records. By locating the power house near sea level there would be over double the power generated. It is also possible to furnish more water at the level at which the power house is located.

Under these circumstances if the necessary increase in power can be got up to several times what is now used. But between the electric company and the Esquimalt Water Works Company there is not the best of feeling. This was clearly evidenced at the time of the trial, and each side thinks the other is attempting to get too good a contract.

At the trial it was brought out in evidence that the Esquimalt company did not care whether they got the city's contract for supplying water or retained the B. C. Electric Company's contract. Mr. Lubbock in fact conveyed the impression that his company would be just as well pleased to be free from the contract with the B. C. Electric Company.

Joined with this fact, the electric company is using every endeavor to get control of the Goldeneye water by applying for records, which will give them an advantage if the city council decides that the water is open to record.

Just what the plans of the Esquimalt company are, is not made known. There is no doubt that the B. C. Electric regard them with suspicion. By the organization of a power company subsidiary to the Esquimalt Water

Works Company, the latter would be able to enter into competition with the B. C. Electric Company to meet the growing demands of the city, and for industrial purposes elsewhere. It would appear as if the electric company realizes this danger, and is preparing to offset it.

The B. C. Electric Company has not shown any lack in enterprise in the province, and may be expected to exhaust every effort to retain its place as the only supplier of electric power in the city, and as the organization to provide for electric power in other pursuits outside of Victoria.

From time to time there has been a rumor that the Victoria & Sidney railway would be operated by electricity instead of steam just as soon as the power arrangements could be made. This rumor has recently been revived, and there is no doubt the V. & S. line lends itself readily to becoming an electric road.

Electricity as a substitute for steam in operating railway lines is growing in favor, and may according to present indications be expected to become a very important factor. Electric companies realize this, and are preparing for the time when by improvements which are rapidly being made electricity will supplant steam to a marked degree.

The C. P. R.'s development of Vancouver Island will call for branch lines from the E. & N. to various summer resorts and agricultural sections. These would lend themselves from the start very readily to being operated as electric lines. The suburban service to Shawnigan lake from Victoria could also be operated under electric power with advantage.

The C. P. R. uses electric cars for suburban service around Montreal, and it is no secret that the company has been seriously considering an auxiliary electrical service at certain points along its main line, amongst others the areas around Medicine Hat. Ultimately the complete electrification of the E. & N. may be expected.

If the city council decides that the Goldeneye water is not open to record under the Water Clauses Act then the B. C. Electric Company must of necessity seek power elsewhere, or be obliged to submit to the Esquimalt company's dictation in the securing of necessary additional power.

It is, therefore, to be expected that the present year will see the greatest activity on the part of the B. C. Electric Company to locate water rights capable of being utilized for power purposes. The activity has already been inaugurated by the dispatching of a survey party to Kokoiias canyon. The two engineers engaged, Wynn Meredith, of San Francisco and Mr. Burwell, of Vancouver, are men of considerable experience in this line of work, and they were retained by the company to show the gravity of their intentions. Mr. Meredith has returned to San Francisco, and Mr. Burwell to Vancouver. It is understood their report is now in the company's hands.

The city council also will make an effort this year to obtain cheap power. They will seek to have the city dealing with their water supply appended so that they will be authorized as the original measure proposed, to obtain water for all municipal purposes.

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walked side by side towards Government street. Looking back he saw the sheriff about to strike Williams. The latter was at that time standing on the sidewalk and the former on the sidewalk. Sheriff Richards was facing Government street. He rushed in and caught the sheriff after Williams had broken the stick he took the press into the police office, where the sheriff came later and took the big end of the stick away with him. Jno. L. Cameron, on being sworn, said he saw the altercation, but being on the other side of the street could not swear what was said. He saw the blow struck. This concluded the evidence for the prosecution. No defence was offered.

The Honourable stated that, rather than enforce the provisions of the law which would be necessary if he committed defendant for trial, he would allow him out on bail. This he did, taking the sheriff's bond for \$500 and one other surety for \$300.

This morning he appeared before Judge Laingman and elected a speedy trial. He was again admitted to bail, this time on his own recognizance of \$500. The case will be heard early next week.

ACCIDENTALLY KILLED.
(Associated Press.)
Cornwall, Ont., March 2.—Lawrence Pound, of Cornwall, was accidentally killed near Summerville last night. He was helping a farmer to move, and a load of farming utensils was caught by a low hanging limb of a tree. In trying to free the limb of the hay-rake struck him on the head and penetrated his skull, causing almost instant death. Pound was young and unmarried.

TOWNS RETAINS CHAMPIONSHIP

DURNAN DEFEATED
IN SCULLING RACE

Canadian Led at Start But the Australian Finally Won By Three Lengths.

(Associated Press.)
Sydney, N. S. W., March 2.—George Towns, the Australian sculler, to-day defeated Edward Durnan, of Toronto, Canada, by three lengths, for the sculling championship of the world. The race took place on the Nepean River, near Penrith, and was for \$2,500 a side.

Towns, who was the favorite, won the race for position. At the quarter-mile post Durnan led by a length, but Towns quickly overhauled him and was half a length in front at the half mile. When the two mile post was reached, Towns was three lengths ahead and maintained this lead until the end of the race.

RUSH WORK ON STREETS.
Work is to be rushed on Dundas street, according to the city engineer. That portion of Government street, acquired from the Cameron estate, will also be graded in the near future. The estimated cost of the work on both streets is \$7,500. The work required will be brought from Mr. Cameron's estate.

ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO CITY COUNCIL

Will Act With the Mayor and Aldermen in Effort to Beautify the Streets.

The special civic affairs advisory committee of the Tourist Association held a meeting yesterday afternoon at the rooms of the society for organization purposes.

The committee is composed of four members of the executive of the Tourist Association with power to add to their number any citizens whose advice they deem valuable in their mission. This latter is to take into consideration all matters connected with the beautifying of the city, and to act in an advisory capacity to the city council, as well as to consider any plans for attracting tourists hither, and generally to advance the interests of Victoria. The committee is composed of John Arbutnot, ex-mayor of Winnipeg, chairman; John Nelson, secretary; Samuel Bennett, and W. M. Cuddy.

They have asked Ald. Henderson, chairman of the streets committee, of the city council, and Ald. Vernon, chairman of the parks committee, to act as members of the committee as well as the following: John Savanah, J. Huxtable, J. E. Gray, P. Simpson, A. Linham, A. Wright, S. F. MacLure, E. A. Wallace, L. Eaton, Dr. Garesche, E. Allan, H. S. Crotty, H. R. Mackenzie, T. S. Gore, R. H. Carter.

The first meeting of the committee is called for Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock, when various matters will be considered. It was largely through the efforts of this committee last year that the council was induced to inaugurate itself in the question of boulevarding the streets and to take action with regard to the parks.

The committee this year is especially strong in that many of its members are new arrivals in Victoria, and in their native cities have had experience with similar organizations.

The extensive plant of the Harman Rubber Company at Belleville, N. J., was burned Friday with a loss estimated at a quarter of a million.

PACIFIC COAST LINER WRECKED

THE CORONA STRANDED
ON HUMBOLDT BAR

The First Boat Lowered Was Cap-sized And One Man Lost His Life.

(Special to the Times.)
Eureka, Cal., March 2.—Steamer Corona, Capt. Boyd, the best boat in the Pacific Coast Steamship Company's service between this city and San Francisco, lies a helpless wreck at Humboldt Bar.

The Corona, with nearly 100 passengers aboard, struck at 10:10 o'clock yesterday morning as Captain Boyd was attempting in the teeth of strong winds and a terrific bar flood, to reach port.

Soon after the ship struck a bar was lowered. It contained three of the crew and three storage passengers. This boat capsized at once in the boiling surf and it is supposed that the crew and passengers were all drowned.

A second boat was badly battered, and was leaking like a sieve when it reached shore. Several attempts were made to shoot a line aboard with a life line, but each time the line fell far short.

It was not until 4:45 that Capt. Henry and his men, succeeded in getting a line aboard. At that time the steamers' boats were also lowered, and at 5 o'clock the Capt. Boyd, who was the last to leave the vessel, reached shore.

The passengers were brought to this city. Nearly all had been drenched, and some were suffering greatly from cold, exposure and nervous shock.

FOUR KILLED MANY INURED

TRAINS MET IN
HEAD-ON COLLISION

The Engineers and Firemen Were
Carried Over Embankment and
Crushed to Death.

(Associated Press.)
Waterbury, Conn., March 2.—With an impact of sufficient force to crush the ponderous locomotives together like paper, twist and bend them and topple them from the track down an embankment and into a ditch beside the track, two passenger trains, a regular and a special, met in a head-on collision early to-day on the Nantucket division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad at Plattsmills, about a mile and a half below this city, resulting in the death of four men, fatal injuries to two more and a score of others more or less seriously hurt. The dead were the crews of the engines.

The regular was the midnight train, which is due at 12:05, but which was behind time. The special was made up of an engine and one coach, in which was a party of about 45 members of Company A, of the Grays, and Governor Woodruff and members of his staff. The governor escaped injury. They had been in attendance at a banquet given in their honor by Company A of the same regiment, and were on their way home at the time of the accident.

The train left Waterbury at 12 o'clock, and as the regular train was late, orders were given the special, it is understood, to run to Hulls Crossing, there take the siding and wait until the regular went by. The special, however, is said to have run beyond the point, and so met the regular at Plattsmills.

When the engines crashed together, and in that embrace rolled down the embankment they carried down to death with them their crews. Three of the dead, the two engineers and one fireman, were taken from the wreckage, their bodies bruised, torn and blackened by the fire from the wreck, while the body of the other fireman was at last report still under the mass of twisted iron.

The tenders of the locomotives did not leave the rails, but were hurled backwards and into the coaches behind them.

In the case of the special the coach was badly wrecked and almost all the occupants received some injury. The baggage car of the regular was telescoped.

As soon as the news reached here, ambulances and doctors were hurried to the scene. The trolley company also promptly sent cars down to bring the wounded and others to Waterbury.

The most seriously injured, Fred C. Russell, of New Haven, a private in Company A, and C. C. Champlain,

musician, also of New Haven, were taken to the Waterbury hospital. The dead are: Wm. Flaherty, New Haven, engineer of the special; Wm. Norton, Waterbury, engineer of the regular; Charles Carpenter, fireman of New Haven, on the regular; G. Erickson, New Haven, fireman of the special. Those who were not seriously injured, with the other members of the party, including the governor and his staff, were put on board the special trolley cars and started for New Haven.

STREET NAMES CHANGED.
Amendment to By-law Will Come Up Before Council on Monday Night.

Ald. Hanna's notice to amend the streets names by-law, which will come up at the council meeting on Monday night, is the outcome of a petition of the Rockland avenue residents at their recent meeting with the mayor.

Two years ago the said street was named Rockland avenue in part. At the instance of G. A. Barnard, from Government House West, it remained Belcher avenue. With the single exception of Mr. Barnard, those present on Thursday were unanimous in their desire to have the whole called by the new name.

The name of Railroad avenue, in the new subdivision of the Fairfield estate, is also to be changed. McBride avenue will be the new name. The residents have petitioned to this effect, and the council will consider the matter.

WANT INQUIRY
BY COMMISSION

LABORERS' PROTECTIVE
BODY TAKES ACTION

Think Sessions Should Be Open to
the Public—Council May
Act.

The members of the Victoria Laborers' Protective Association held a meeting last evening to consider the question of the labor investigation which the Board of Trade is preparing to hold. The sentiment of the association is entirely in favor of the inquiry, but they are emphatic in stating that it should be conducted by a Dominion government commission, the sessions of which should be open to the public.

The objection to the inquiry held by the Board of Trade which was brought out at the meeting was the fact that the local body might be prejudiced, in that they are a combination of the people as a whole. It was decided to call a mass meeting of the public as a whole to consider the question. The meeting will be held on Friday, March 15th, in Labor hall. A select committee was appointed to draft a resolution embodying the opinion that the inquiry should be a public one, and that the sessions of the latter will be held in the Victoria Trades and Labor Council will take a somewhat similar action at its next meeting on Wednesday evening. A committee of that body was recently formed which was instructed to obtain all data bearing on the subject and to lay it before the local Board of Trade in view of the fact that the sessions of the latter will be secret, and it is doubtful if the local organization will have anything to do with the inquiry.

As a gentleman prominent in labor circles of the city remarked this morning: "The Dominion government has a department which is supposed to deal with the question of labor entirely. Why should not that department hold the investigation upon this subject. Its report would be unbiased and fair to all."

Meanwhile the work of the special committee of the Board of Trade has been suspended until March 12th, pending the receipt of communications from outside organizations. As soon as these are in the investigation will be resumed and a report will be submitted to the general board. Upon this the recommendations of the board to the Dominion and provincial governments will be based.

BRITISH PREMIER AND
WOMEN SUFFRAGE

Sir H. Campbell-Bannerman Promises
to Support Bill Introduced in
Commons.

(Associated Press.)
London, March 2.—Premier Campbell-Bannerman, who up to the present time refused to receive a deputation of the women suffragists, has now written a letter in which he promises to support, with much pleasure, the bill presented by W. H. Dickinson, M. P., to give suffrage to women.

TWO-CENT RAILWAY FARES.
Western Railroads Will Fight Case in
Courts.

(Associated Press.)
Chicago, March 2.—It was decided yesterday that the Western railroads would fight in the courts all state laws making two cents a mile the maximum passenger rate. The plan is to ask the courts to restrain the enforcement of the law on the ground that the rate would cause the roads a heavy loss, and in many cases would require them to run trains at less than actual cost, regardless of fixed charges, taxes and other obligations of the railroads, which they claim the passenger traffic would assume a share.

SURVEYOR BUSY ON NEW TOWNSITE

Cost of Land and Improvements Contemplated
Said to Be Four Hundred Thousand
Dollars.

Already work has begun in connection with the Upland farm property, recently purchased from the Hudson's Bay Company by J. H. Oldfield and W. H. Gardner of Winnipeg. J. Herlihy is surveying the block and may offer some suggestions with respect to the laying out of the area. No time will be lost in making the subdivision of the land, but at the same time this will not be done without carefully considering the best plans for taking full advantage of the natural beauties of this delightful spot.

When the new townsite is laid out it has been ascertained through reliable sources that no less sum than \$400,000 will have been expended. This includes the purchase money and the sum which will be expended on landscape gardening.

Such a sum invested in Victoria is the most striking illustration of the faith reposed in the city that has been resultant upon the present activity in real estate circles. As yet the outcome and ramifications of such a scheme can be but dimly foreshadowed. It is certain, however, that the most charming residential area yet laid out within immediate reach of the city will be the result.

The purchase of this property was the outcome of an extensive survey of both the city proper and its adjoining country. The possibility of tramway connection with Cadboro has been thoroughly investigated, and the result of every avenue of enquiry having been traversed, was the purchase which was recorded in the Times the other day.

The natural beauty of this property is perhaps unequalled as far as the neighborhood is concerned. It lies along the waterfront, and for this reason alone is a very desirable residential area. Across the water lies the Olympic range with its towering snow-capped summit of Mount Baker. The prospect on every hand is of a fine spectacular nature, and the concomitant advantages of having sea bathing connected with the residing there as soon as the property will doubtless induce many to make their homes there.

That there will be a ready sale of lots is borne out by the fact that already there are applications being made for lots. Several have manifested their interest in the purchase of the property, and it is not surprising that the land is thrown open to purchase, and

some fine residences are promised as soon as the locations are decided. The Hudson's Bay Company has shown its faith in the future of the new residential section by retaining an interest in it to the extent of every alternate lot on the waterfront.

Until the plans are perfected it is impossible for the new owners to say definitely what size the lots will be. Mr. Oldfield, who is one of the oldest real estate dealers in Winnipeg, says that possibly the lots will range from one acre to four or five acres, thus affording scope for the proper laying out of grounds.

The real estate firm which has taken over the land is perhaps the largest in Winnipeg. The firm is a wealthy one, with a wide reputation, and will assuredly make the very best of the new subdivision.

Another good feature connected with the sale is the fact that it shows that the Hudson's Bay Company is prepared to assist in the development of the city by removing the restrictions which have hitherto been put upon their lands. It is even suggested that additional lands owned by this company practically adjacent to that sold, will follow along the same line and be subdivided. As previously mentioned in the Times, there are 600 acres of Hudson's Bay land across the road from the Upland farm, which lends itself to subdivision into valuable residential property.

The demand for property in the Esquimalt neighborhood continues unabated, and has received a notable impetus since the Hudson's Bay Company has thrown its land in that district on the market. One of the largest acquisitions in the district recently has been the purchase by investors from the middle west, of seven acres in the neighborhood of Cape Saxe for a sum of \$10,000. This deal was put through by the Royal Guarantee & Trust Company. The same firm is responsible for the sale of some residential property in Victoria West. Three different investors from Manitoba have, upon information furnished them by the trust company, left for the Alberni district to make further investigations there. Inquiry shows that there is a great demand for outside acres, and in the majority of cases these are a surprise at the low prices prevailing.

WOODSTOCK SCENE OF
DESTRUCTIVE FIRE

Number of Hydrants Frozen and Lack
of Water Hampered Work of
Firemen.

(Associated Press.)
Woodstock, N. B., March 2.—A disastrous fire broke out at 11 o'clock last night in rear of Sullivan's hotel, after and swept a whole block up to the post office.

Some of the important hydrants on Main street were frozen, and very little force could be obtained for the streams. The firemen worked bravely and saved the Cadillac hotel and Gallagher Bros' stable just east of where the fire started.

Following are the losses: Wm. M. Connell, building; Sullivan Bros., bowling alley and pool tables; dwelling occupied by Fisher; Albert Hayden's building; Stevens & Hayden, grocery; the Y. M. C. A. rooms, upstairs; Mrs. Baker, building; W. M. Lilly, meat market; Hayden's feed store; Mrs. Barker's dwelling; Geo. W. Gibson, building, occupied by the owner for men's furnishings; and G. H. Harrison, insurance; J. N. Winslow, "Telephone; N. B. Telephone Co.'s office, upstairs; Mrs. Nevers, building.

The block is a total loss. The amount of insurance is unknown.

INVADDED ANOTHER FIELD.
Lady Advance Agent Is at Present in
the City.

Miss Florence L. Newman, representing Sweeney, Shipman & Co.'s attractions, is at present in the city. Miss Newman is here in advance of the Bonnie Brier Bush, which appears next week. She is a niece of A. Huggert of this city, and is incidentally, a stranger to Victoria.

"Yes," she remarked, "it is somewhat of an innovation, Lady advance agents are a surprise to the average theatrical manager at first sight, though I have been in the business for six years." Miss Newman really doesn't look it.

"Some amusing incidents happen. I remember on one occasion when traveling in advance for a company, putting on Hamlet, I arrived at a town in Michigan, where the manager of the theatre was a German. After all arrangements had been completed, the advance man for another production, which was trying to "wildcat" the town, arrived there and sought the theatrical manager. Germany flattered to him phlegmatically. "It was no use," he assured him. "Dora is a female diva. Hamlet here, Hamlet here." Hamlet the actor, and it has built the town. Your show won't go."

PREMIER TENDS APPOINTED SUCCESSOR
TO THE LATE HON. J. B. SNOWBALL.
(Special to the Times.)
Ottawa, March 2.—Premier Tweedie, who has been notified to-day of his appointment as Lieut.-Governor of New Brunswick, Attorney-General Pugsley will succeed him in the premiership.

At Rheims, France, on Thursday, violent anti-Masonic rioting occurred. Many persons were injured, and the police made one hundred and fifty arrests.

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THE ELECTIONS
IN MANITOBA

PROSPECTS BRIGHT
FOR THE LIBERALS

Province Dissatisfied With the Gen-
eral Railway Policy of the
Roblin Government.

(Special to the Times.)
Winnipeg, March 2.—Indications so far
are that the Roblin government will be
defeated at the coming elections in
Manitoba to take place next Thurs-
day.

The government planned to rush the
campaign to cover less than three
weeks, but the Liberals, under the
leadership of Mr. Brown, were ready
for the fray.

The railway tie-up has created gen-
eral dissatisfaction with the Roblin
government's general railway policy.
This will tell heavily at the polls in
favor of the Liberals.

The government have made the first
move on the plea that the Dominion
government was refusing to extend
Manitoba's boundaries to Hudson's
Bay.

Mr. Wilfrid Laurier's statement in
the House a few days ago has taken
the wind out of their sails.

Whether the government is defeated
or not it is admitted the Liberals at
least will come very nearly to dividing
the legislature.

MORE SALARY FOR
THE POLICE FORCE

Desired Increases Have Been Grant-
ed By the Board of Commis-
sioners Just Appointed.

Ald. Henderson and Wm. Mahle, to-
gether with the Mayor, who were re-
cently appointed police commissioners,
yesterday met and granted the follow-
ing increases to the police force:

Chief John M. Latogley, from \$135 to
\$150.
Sergeant Detective Palmer, from \$85
to \$100.

Sergeant J. Hawton, from \$80 to
\$95.
Sergeant S. L. Redgrave, from \$80 to
\$95.

Sergeant S. H. Walker, from \$80 to
\$95.
Detective George Perdue, from \$75 to
\$85.

Detective Macdonald, from \$70 to \$80.
Clark of Police Court A. Keatinge,
from \$80 to \$90.

All others, drivers, jailers and pa-
trullmen, were advanced from \$67.50 per
month to \$75 per month. This rate of
pay was formerly given to the police,
and a cut was made about eight years
ago. The advance will amount in all to
\$2,570 a year additional to the sum
now paid the police force.

The estimates of the police force for
the year for 1907, salaries, maintenance,
etc., will amount to \$36,880. Some
few changes have been made, the amount
requested for special police being
raised from \$500 to \$1,000, and \$100 added
to the amount sought for inquiries, as
well as other minor changes.

BACK FROM EUROPE.

Will Spencer Has Returned After a
Purchasing Trip to Old Land.

Will Spencer, of David Spencer, Ltd.,
has returned from a purchasing
trip for the big department stores
controlled by this house. Mr. Spencer
has been absent about three months
and a half.

He visited various points in Great
Britain, and also made a trip to Paris.
Asked as to the extent of his pur-
chases, Mr. Spencer said the Times
reporter, that he had loaded up in all
lines to meet the demands of the trade.

The practice of the house is to have
one of the firm visit the great manu-
facturing establishments and distribut-
ing houses and make a careful selec-
tion of the latest goods, calculated to
specially meet the demands of the
Pacific coast. The result is that the
firm is able to keep its shelves stocked
with a class of goods which is always
up to date.

A BRAVE SAILOR

Attempted to Carry Life From Stranded
Steamer Corona to Shores.

Eureka, Cal., March 2.—When the
steamer Corona struck on Humboldt bar
yesterday, there were nearly a hundred
passengers aboard. The women were
hysterical and the men were panic-
stricken. Rescuing words from the crew
finally brought calm. Then the passen-
gers assembled on the hurricane deck,
where they remained until the rescue
work was undertaken a few hours later.

Southern, able seaman, formerly in the
United States navy, stripped to the waist
and attempted to carry a line ashore.
The line parted before he had gone far.
He was picked up by the life-avert. Several
attempts were made to shoot a line
aboard, but each time the line fell short.

Finally Captain Henning, the life-avert
men, reached the side of the Corona and
picked up the line. Several unsuccessful
attempts were made to work the life-
line, but it was not until the ship was
brought to the shore that the rescue
work was completed.

C. W. Lee, while working in the
Victoria Machinery Depot, fell from an
elevation of about 20 feet and injured
his head and shoulder. On being brought
to the office of Dr. Robertson, it was
discovered that his left shoulder was
dislocated. His other injuries were not
serious.

A REMARKABLE
EXPERIMENT

PROVING THE DANGER THAT
LURKS IN THE AIR—LA GRIFFE
AND CONSUMPTION GERMS
FLOATING EVERYWHERE.

A noted Paris physician to prove his
theory that tuberculosis and kindred
diseases were germ diseases and not
necessarily due to contact with the
postrils of all his nurses for 24 hours.

At the end of that time he found mil-
lions of live la grippe and consumption
germs or tubercular bacilli lodged in
the cotton. He thus proved that the
air is constantly full of these germs,
and we are all constantly breathing
them. We would all die of tuberculosis
if our systems were not continually
fighting and overcoming these germs.

If our system becomes weakened or
run-down by coughs, colds, la grippe,
bronchitis, catarrh, pleurisy, pneu-
monia, or stomach trouble, or indeed,
from any other cause, we are the pre-
pared victims for this terrible white
plague, ready to be sacrificed on the
altar of our own criminal negligence.

It is nothing short of criminal, in most
cases, to allow these easily-cured pul-
monary troubles to develop into these
advanced stages, when there is an
ever-ready, never-failing, and abso-
lutely reliable remedy. Psychine, that
world-famed cure, at every drug store.
Tens of thousands of lives have been
snatched from the verge of the grave
by Psychine.

"At the age of 25 my lungs were in a
terrible state. I had la grippe the
year before; it settled on my lungs, and
I kept steadily growing worse, till I got
down so low I was in bed for six weeks.
I had a consultation of doctors, and
they said they could do nothing more
for me. Then I started to use Psychine.
I took the medicine for more than a
year. It certainly did wonders for me.
I am now as strong as I was be-
fore my sickness."

"Mrs. H. Hope, Morpeth, Ont."—
Psychine, pronounced St. Keen, cures
consumption and all the troubles that
lead to it, to stay cured. Are you pre-
paring to be the next victim of neg-
lect? Psychine, at all druggists, 50c.
and \$1. or Dr. T. A. Stoen, Limited,
129 King street west, Toronto.

LOOKING FOR ABSCONDER.
Local Police See Victim Plucked By
Confidence Men.

William F. Walker, of New Britain,
Conn., is the subject of much attention
from police officials along the coast.
Sometime ago the Victoria police were
warned to keep a look-out for him, as
he was supposed to be attempting to
escape by way of Portland or one of
the British Columbia ports to the
Orient or the South Seas. (Chief Lang-
ley and some of his men will search
the Miwera before she sails in an en-
deavor to locate Walker.)

The Pinkertons, together with the
officers of the coast cities, are making
every effort to catch their man.

It is another case of a model man,
who had found a "get rich, quick
scheme" and endeavored to work it
with some one else's money. Walker's
specialty was in beating the races with
the assistance of three "new found
friends" who had a sure thing. They
were to take poolroom stakes and pay-
ing bets before the information reach-
ed headquarters.

Walker, tried it to the tune of \$375,000
and then skipped out.

The police heard he was in New York
on Feb. 1, but when they attempted
to find him he wasn't there. They are
"sure" he was in Portland on the 18th
ult., but again he could not be found.

Geo. Gondorf, Frankie Dwyer and
Thomas Tracy, who are supposed to
have helped Walker to his ruin, were
seen in Denver not long since. But
they too are now not to be found. The
police hope to get Walker shortly.

—The total imports for the month of
February at this port were: Dutiable,
\$185,968; free, \$40,721; total imports,
\$226,689. Of these there was collected
\$60,585.12 duty. Other revenue amounted
to \$1,518.40.

—The improvements around James
Bay, says Mayor Morley, will be a
matter for future consideration. Noth-
ing has been done about Douglas St.
improvement. The question of mak-
ing it a park or a thoroughfare has not
even been considered.

BORN.
HAWES—On March 1st, the wife of Geo.
J. Hawes, 20 Bay street, of a daughter.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.
WANTED, MEN—Railroads in Canada,
passenger brakemen, firemen, electric
motormen, conductors; experience un-
necessary. Dep. 106, Inter. Ry. Inst.,
Indianapolis, Ind.

TO LET—Desirable furnished rooms, by
day, week or month. Apply 41 View
street.

BOYS WANTED—At British American
Paint Co.

WANTED—First-class carpenter. D. H.
Bale, Elford street.

TO LET—Small well furnished cottage.
Apply 22 Quadra street.

WANTED—A smart boy. Apply G. D.
Christie, 125 Government street.

WANTED—General servant, good wages.
Apply after 2 p.m. Mrs. F. A. Pauline,
Viewmont, School street.

PUPILS WANTED—Dress-cutting school.
Latest method, patterns cut, 324 Fort
street.

RAW FURS WANTED—Highest price
paid for raw furs; will be at the New
England Hotel from the 4th to the 5th
inst. M. Ripstone, of Winnipeg, Man.

WANTED—To rent, a small furnished
house. Box 106, Times office.

WANTED—Six good carpenters. Apply
G. C. Mesley, 724 Fort street.

WANTED—Acres, approximately 100,
containing a small house and barn, and
some other buildings. Apply to Mrs. M. J.
Spencer.

Notice is hereby given that, 30 days
after date, I intend to apply to the Hon.
Court of Land and Works for a special
license to cut and carry
limb from the following land in
Victoria District: Commencing at the
northwest corner of the Victoria Mercan-
tile Co.'s timber claim No. 2, Copper Tel-
and, thence south 20 chains, thence west
40 chains, thence south to shore, thence
northwesterly along shore to a point due
west of starting point, thence east to
point of commencement.

WILLIAM J. SUTTON
Victoria, Feb. 28, 1907.

TO LET—James' Charles' Block,
near Railway, 160 acres, 20 cleared
stock and elements. For terms ap-
ply to J. H. S. Parsons, Courtenay,
B. C.

FOR SALE—11 acres good land, 3 miles
out, five acres in fruit trees, seven
roomed new house, all modern im-
provements, barn, chicken houses, price
\$7,500. Inquire Hinkson, Siddall
& Son, New Grand Theatre Building,
Government street.

FOR SALE—A good lot on Oak Bay ave-
nue, 2400 lot, Victoria West, 225, six
roomed cottage, lot 5750, all modern
improvements, \$9,000. Hinkson, Siddall
& Son, New Grand Theatre Building,
Government street.

NOTICE.

The final meeting before the closing
of the charter of Brotherhood of Girls,
Victoria Neat, No. 10, will be held in
the Eagles' Hall, Government street, on
Thursday, March 7, at 8 p.m.

TENDERS.

Wanted, tenders for the purchase of
buttermilk from Victoria Creamery As-
sociation; also tenders for supplying
wood for one year to the Victoria Cream-
ery Association.
Tenders will be received up to March
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cerized Lisle with two dome
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between Vancouver and Cook,
near car, pays 10 per cent. on
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1 roomed house, bath, pantry,
electric light and gas on car line,
pays 10 per cent. on \$3,500.

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CONDITIONS IN RUSSIA.

New York, March 1.—Nicholas will continue to rule Russia in spite of all upheavals and internal strife, is the opinion of Mr. L. Von Meyer, late ambassador to Russia, who arrived here to-day on the steamer Teutonic.

Mr. Meyer said that conditions in that country, both social and political, are vastly improved over those of a year ago. Mr. Meyer is the bearer of a message from King Edward to President Roosevelt.

RUSIANS WITHDRAW.

Tsitsiskar, Manchuria, March 1.—The Russian troops evacuated this place to-day. They have garrisoned the place since 1903. The leave-taking between the troops and the Chinese officials and people was most cordial. Tsitsiskar will now be occupied by Chinese.

Are You a Woman
Needing Strength?

Not long ago you were able to enjoy life.

You had vigor, strength, ambition, all everything with zest and pleasure.

Upon your cheeks was the hue of health, in your eyes the sparkle of vim and animation.

To-day—all is a drudge.

Not actually sick, but if your work were less imperative, how gladly you would rest.

You are breaking down.

Nervous system is out of gear.

Digestive powers are weak.

Blood lacks nourishment.

Just one thing to do—Build up—Win back your health with Ferrozone.

No remedy restores so fast, builds up so permanently, instills such vigor or supplies strength like Ferrozone.

A case showing how Ferrozone acts is illustrated by the following from Mrs. H. Wright, of Enfield, N. S.

"Six months ago I experienced a serious illness. It commenced with splitting headaches, dull pains through my chest and shoulders. I found it hard to get satisfying sleep—would roll and toss and in the morning felt tired all over.

Then I grew nervous, lost flesh, got pale and had heavy dark circles under my eyes. My strength got so low I couldn't do housework. I was worried and unable to eat and feared I would not get well. Ferrozone braced me up in a few weeks. It seemed to supply wonderful strength. I gained in flesh, looked better and was able to sleep. In all I took twelve boxes of Ferrozone and my cure was complete."

If Ferrozone doesn't help and "cure" you, nothing ever will, your druggist sells it in 50c. boxes—Better try Ferrozone.

SEEKING RECEIVER.

Petition for Accounting of Financial Affairs of Mrs. Mary Eddy.

Concord, N. H., March 1.—A bill in equity to obtain an accounting of the financial affairs of Mrs. Mary Baker Glover Eddy, head of the Christian Scientists, was filed in the superior court for Merrimack County to-day by Mrs. Eddy's son, George W. Glover, of Dedham, and James A. Fry, of Boston.

Mrs. Eddy's son, George W. Glover, of Dedham, and James A. Fry, of Boston, are the plaintiffs. The bill is directed against Alfred Farlow and other trustees of the Christian Scientists' Church in Boston; Cayle A. Fry, Mrs. Eddy's secretary; Mrs. Strong, her assistant secretary; and Herman Shering, first reader of the church in Concord. Besides demanding an accounting of all transactions relative to Mrs. Eddy's affairs, the bill asks for restitution in case any wrong-doing appears, for an injunction during litigation against interference with the property and business, and for a receiver.

THE LORD'S DAY OBSERVANCE ACT

Interior Mining and Lumber Men
Wish to Present Views to the
Premier.

Nelson, March 1.—At a largely attended meeting in the Strathcona hotel this evening of mining and lumbering men, the following resolution was unanimously passed:

"That a telegram be sent to the Honorable the Premier of this province, requesting that any action tending towards the enforcement of the Lord's Day Observance Act be postponed until the opportunity is afforded those whose livelihood and industries are directly affected of expressing an opinion for or against. J. J. Campbell, chairman; Leslie Hill, secretary."

The message was wired Premier McBride, and a mass meeting has been called for the evening of the 14th.

The Daily News has announced a continuance of its Sunday morning issue until further notice.

Alberta's Attitude.

Edmonton, March 1.—Attorney-General Cross has announced that the Lord's Day Act will be rigidly enforced. Illustrating his position on the matter, the attorney-general to-day gave publication to a letter which he wrote to J. G. Shearer, of the Lord's Day Alliance, some time ago. This letter reads:

"Permit me to congratulate you upon the success which you have had in securing the satisfactory Sunday bill from the House of Commons and Senate at Ottawa. Personally I do not think that the Senate amendment, whereby the consent of the attorney-general in the different provinces is required, will be in any way a detriment to the enforcement of the act. I can assure you that the enforcement of the Sunday act will always have my hearty support, as far as the province of Alberta is concerned."

The attorney-general has sent a letter to police headquarters throughout the province, calling their attention to the act as going into effect to-day and stating: "The action of parliament in passing the act was to secure, as far as reasonably possible, a proper observance of the Lord's Day, and it is the duty of all good citizens to themselves obey the law and to assist in preventing a violation thereof by others. Making it clearly understood that you and the officers under you will feel it to be your duty to insist upon a compliance with the statute will go far towards insuring a respect for its provisions, and so relieve you of the necessity of instituting proceedings. However, if such proceedings should become necessary, you will not fail in your duty in this regard."

In Saskatchewan.

Regina, March 1.—Attorney-General Lamont to-day stated that he was prepared to vigorously enforce the Sunday law in this province.

HARMONY HALL MISSION.

Special Services To-Morrow, Conducted By Archdeacon Phair and W. H. Gibson.

To-morrow morning at the usual hour, Archdeacon Phair and W. H. Gibson, of Winnipeg, will have a special service for children and young people at Harmony Hall, and a warm invitation is extended to outsiders to be present. These two gentlemen, who have been engaged in mission work in Winnipeg for many years, are also expected to be at the service in the evening at 7 p. m. and as they are leaving for the east the commencement of the week all who have not heard them should embrace this opportunity of doing so.

Harmony Hall Mission, View street, was established nearly five years ago. The Sunday school commenced with three and gradually increased until now there are over 100 on the roll. W. J. Ash, now of Edmonton, was the indefatigable superintendent up to October last, and the hard work he put in on behalf of the mission will be remembered for years to come. The school is held at 10 o'clock, Sunday morning, and out of the 100 on the roll, half do not go to any other Sunday school.

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

Kaid Mehalla, the representative of the minister of war of Morocco, has completed arrangements to attack the Ben Jarrus tribe, which is sheltering Raibeli.

Dr. Claudet Willemans has been elected president of Uruguay in succession to Jose Battle. Y. Orgenz by the chambers sitting together as a general assembly.

A bill providing that corporations engaged in interstate commerce shall be incorporated by the national government and under its control, was introduced in the United States House by Representative Hearst, of New York.

FUNERAL OF TEN VICTIMS OF FIRE

REMAINS OF CHILDREN INTERRED AT MONTREAL

Silver Ore Found Near Sault Ste Marie—New Brunswick's Auditor General Dead.

Montreal, March 1.—The funeral service of ten little children who perished in the fire at the Hochelaga Protestant school took place this afternoon at St. Mary's church. Their names are Edith Gelson, Albert Jackson, Lillian Ritger, Ethel Lambton, Annie Jackson, Andrew John Lomas, J. Almer, Frederick Anderson, Gladys Fleming, Myrtle and Mable Sprague. Floral tributes from Protestant schools and various quarters, both public and private, were banded about the ten coffins. Thirty-five constables from the police department acted as escort. On Sunday afternoon there will be a memorial service in St. Mary's church in memory of Sarah Maxwell, the lady principal, who lost her life in attempting to save the little ones.

Silver Ore Found.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., March 1.—Silver ore rivaling in richness that found in the Cobalt district has been discovered at a depth of 23 feet at Island Lake, sixteen miles from here. The discovery was made by A. D. Gillies. The vein is two feet wide and is growing wider as the digging progresses. Prospectors are planning to rush to the district to work the new claims at once.

Dismissed By Rector.

Toronto, March 1.—Rev. Alex. Williams, rector of St. John's Episcopal church, one of the oldest edifices in Toronto, has dismissed his curate, Rev. S. D. Sweetman, for what he claims is disloyalty and not working in harmony with him. The young man is a graduate of Trinity and has been with the church for two years. He was an aggressive worker among the young people of the church. The curate assured Rev. Mr. Williams that there was some misunderstanding, but the latter is still under the impression that Mr. Sweetman is disloyal to him, and has asked him to leave after Easter.

Leaves For Vancouver.

Winnipeg, March 1.—S. J. Clark, who has been manager of the bank of the Northern Bank here since February 1st, left last night for Vancouver to take a similar position with the bank there.

The Ross Rifle.

Ottawa, March 1.—A militia order has been issued asking officers holding higher commands to recall and return to ordnance stores, rifles now in possession of the army service corps and forward requisitions for replacement by the Ross rifle, when an issue of the latter will be made.

Death of J. S. Beck.

Frederickton, N. B., March 1.—James S. Beck, auditor general for New Brunswick, died this morning at his home here after a long illness. He was 52 years old and had been auditor general for the last twenty years.

Wealthy Citizen Dead.

Montreal, March 1.—Henry Joseph, one of Montreal's oldest and most wealthy citizens, is dead.

Must Pay the Penalty.

Ottawa, March 1.—The Supreme court yesterday gave judgment in the appeal of Joseph Gilbert vs. the King, dismissing the appeal with costs.

Gilbert is under sentence of death in Regina jail for the murder of a farmer, Barrett Henderson. He will be hanged on March 8th unless the governor-in-council intervenes.

Calgary Clearings.

Calgary, March 1.—The bank clearings for the week ending yesterday were \$1,253,183. The record for this month is a very creditable one, having amounted to \$5,225,950.

THE TRIAL OF STEVE ADAMS.

Judge Refuses to Allow Introduction of New Evidence.

Wallace, Idaho, March 1.—The sharpest fight that has yet occurred in the trial of Steve Adams for the murder of Fred Tyler, ended to-day in a notable victory for the defense, when Judge Wood announced that he would overrule the petition of the state for permission to recall Mrs. Arthur Phillips and then re-open the case for the prosecution. The testimony to be given by Mrs. Phillips was regarded as vital for the case for the state.

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At Druggists, 25 cents a bottle. Mail order, 30 cents.

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La Grippe Is Epidemic Catarrh.

LA GRIPPE spares no class or nationality. The cultured and the ignorant, the aristocrat and the pauper, the masses and the classes are all subject to its grip. None are exempt—all are liable.

La Grippe is well-named. The original term, la grippe, is French, but it has been shortened by the busy American to one word "grip."

Without any intention of doing so, a new word has been coined which describes the disease exactly.

The ailment clings to the patient as tenaciously as if some terrible giant had clutched him in a fatal clasp.

Men, women and children—whole towns and cities are caught in the baneful grip of this terrible monster.

Have you the grip? Or, rather, has the grip caught you? If so, read the following letters.

These testimonials will show you the quickest and best means of ridding yourself of this tenacious disease and its after-effects.

Suffered Twelve Years From After-Effects of La Grippe.

Mr. Victor Patenaude, 78 Madison St., Topeka, Kas., a well-known carpenter and member of Knights and Ladies of Security, writes:

"Twelve years ago I had a severe attack of la grippe and I never really recovered my health and strength—but grew weaker every year, until I was unable to work."

"Two years ago I began using Peruna and it built up my strength so that in a couple of months I was able to go to work again."

"This winter I had another attack of la grippe, but Peruna soon drove it out of my system."

"My wife and I consider Peruna a household remedy."

Pneumonia Followed La Grippe—Per-na, the Remedy That Brought Relief.

Mr. T. Barnecott, West Aylmer, Ontario, Can., writes:

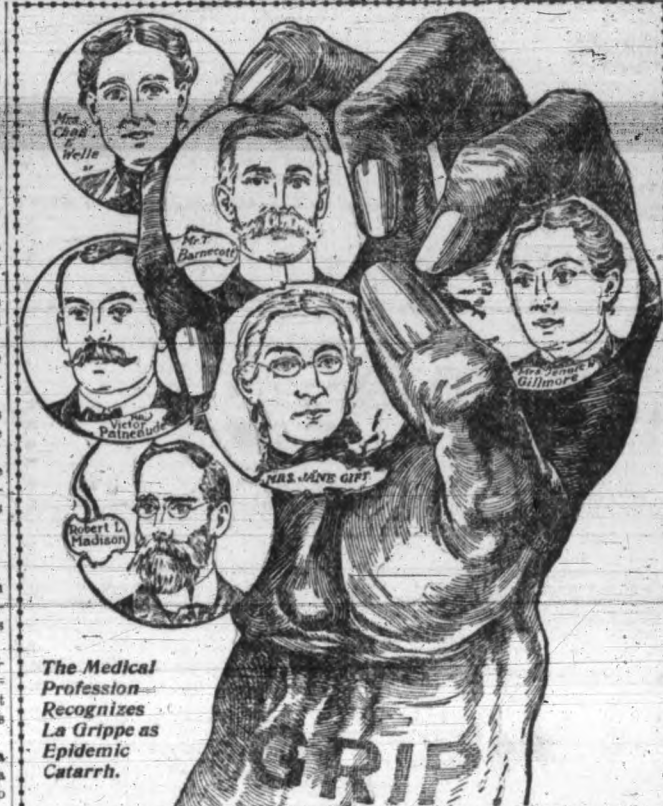
"Last winter I was ill with pneumonia after having la grippe. I took Peruna for two months, when I became quite well, and I can say that any one can be cured by it in a reasonable time and at little expense."

"Every time I take a cold, I take some Peruna, which makes me well again."

"I also advised it for my daughter who was so ill with prostration that she could not follow her trade of dress making."

"A bottle of Peruna made such a change in her that she has been able to follow her trade ever since."

"I also induced a young lady, who was all run down and confined to the house, to take Peruna, and after taking Peruna for three months she is able to follow her trade of tailoring."



"I can recommend Peruna for all such who are ill and require a tonic."

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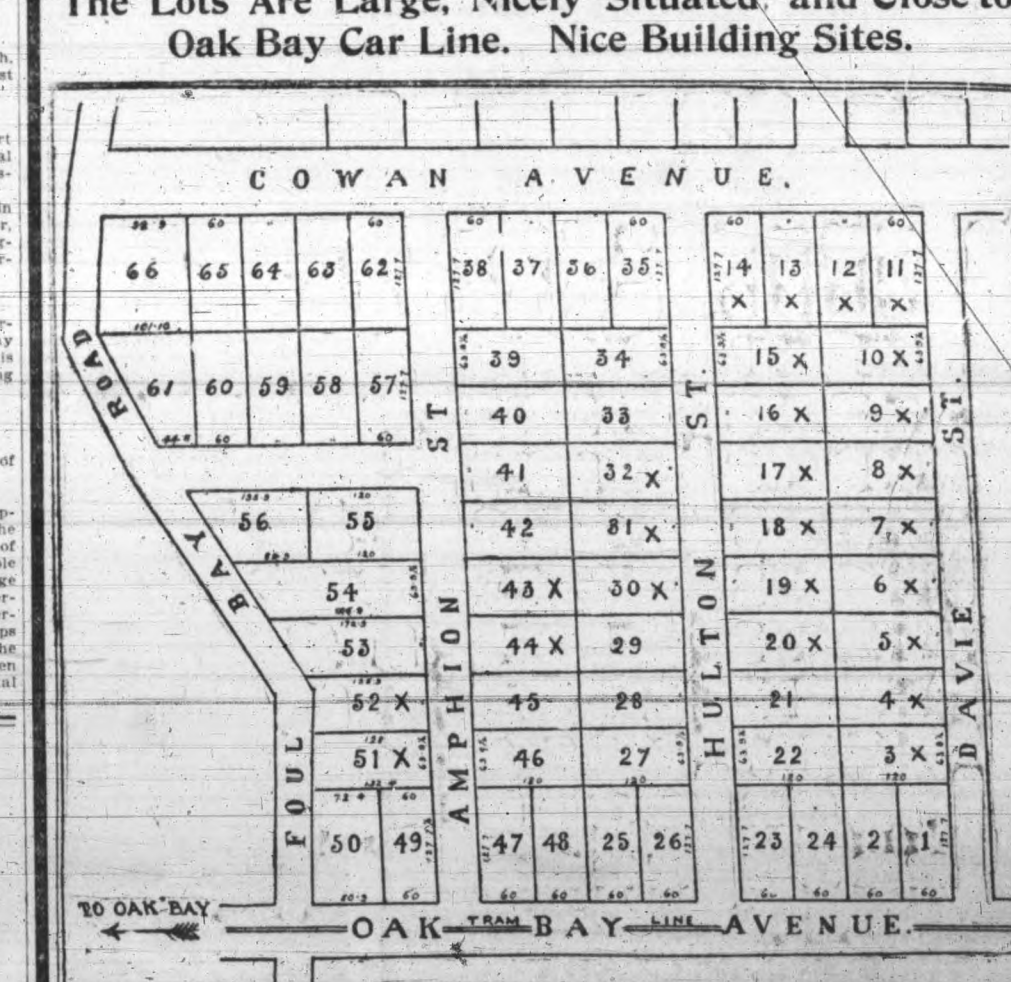
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PARLIAMENTARY DISORDER.

The influence of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's personality in the House of Commons is undoubtedly strong; but one can hardly expect the Premier to perform miracles, such as transforming men of the calibre of Fowler and Bennett into courteous gentlemen. The opinion expressed by the Colonist that under the leadership of Sir Wilfrid Laurier the tone of Parliament has degenerated is ridiculous. The truth is that Mr. Borden cannot control his followers. Nature will assert herself in spite of all he can do to repress natural inclinations. The opposition is not pleased with the leadership of Mr. Borden. The Conservative leader is incapable of creating enthusiasm in the country. He should not be blamed for that, as the capacity for leadership cannot be taken off or put on like a cloak. But he is, and the dissatisfaction manifests itself in insubordination and clownish tactics in the House. Then the newspaper supporters of the Conservative party are clamoring for a policy. They point out that a campaign of petty fault-finding and scolding will never accomplish that which is greatly to be desired. That something must be brought forward that will appeal to the intelligence of the people—something more substantial and definite than a mere policy of negation. No one knows whether the opposition is in favor of increasing or decreasing the tariff. No one can tell with certainty whether it approves or disapproves of the British preference. It is not clear what the stand of the party is on any of the great questions, the treatment of which is so closely bound up with the prospects of the country. It is no wonder the party has got beyond the control of its leader, that many of the most ardent office-seekers are practically in "rebellion," defying all rules of parliamentary decency, nor that their conduct has brought upon their heads the "athing condemnation" of many of the leading Conservative newspapers of the country. We are not inclined to censure Mr. Borden. The poor gentleman has undertaken no light task—that of leading a political party whose case appears to be absolutely hopeless. He must know that if another election be lost under his leadership, off will go his head; while he undoubtedly feels that the defects lie not so much in the leader as in the elements he is trying to lead.

OLD-AGE PENSIONS.

Members of the Dominion Parliament have been discussing the question of old-age pensions. Sir Wilfrid Laurier has expressed sympathy with the idea, while admitting that the subject is such a large one as to require very careful consideration before committing a government to any definite action. An Ottawa dispatch says Sir Richard Cartwright will introduce a measure which will bring the matter before the House in a definite form and give an opportunity for intelligent discussion and for the creation of public opinion either favorable or adverse. It is not the intention to pass a measure at the present time, merely to get the matter before the country for the consideration of the people. For our part, we cannot see any reason why a man who has given of his best to the country—many have given their all, actually wearing themselves out in raising large families and setting them forth upon useful and honorable careers—undoubtedly the highest service any man could render the state—should in the event of misfortune overtaking him when his natural faculties have become impaired, be subject to the humiliation of living "in charitable institutions." There is no question that the sturdy of nature, the persons who value most highly the privilege of independence, regard institutional charity as humiliating; that many of them would welcome death as an avenue of escape from the poorhouse. Upon provinces and municipalities falls the duty of

securing and maintaining those with whom the world has dealt hardly or who may not have dealt kindly with themselves. This method of treatment involves considerable expense. Could not the whole responsibility be thrown upon the federal power as a measure of the "better terms" for which the provinces have been agitating? And would not a system of old-age pensions be more satisfactory from the point of view of the community, more acceptable from the standpoint of the beneficiary, and perhaps more economical from the position of all concerned than the system now in vogue? Is it not now evident that the European method of treating worn-out humanity should never have been introduced into this country? Can the proposal be assailed that a man who does his duty as a private citizen is fully as much entitled to assistance from the state in his old age as the soldier who serves for a number of years and retires often in full physical vigor or the civil servant who in most cases saunters leisurely through his none too arduous duties and is finally entitled to a handsome superannuation allowance? It does seem as though we have too long taken a somewhat perverted view of a very important matter and that the time must be near for a more equitable arrangement of the relations of the state with all who render it service. At the same time there is no question that there are obstacles in the way of an old-age pension scheme; and they are created by the never-do-wells who inflict all communities. It will perhaps be contended that there would be something anomalous in the state finally undertaking assuming the support of those who had never maintained themselves. But what would you do with them? We have not yet got so far as to establish lethal chambers for human waifs? We give the matter up, hoping that Parliament in its wisdom may be able to solve the problem.

THE LADIES AND

THE FRANCHISE

The Campbell-Bannerman government is going the limit. The Premier says he will give his support to a measure extending the franchise to women, which means that the bill will become law and that the ambitions of the persecuted Suffragettes are about to be realized. The contemplated extension will, we have no reason to doubt, put a new complexion upon political affairs. It has been contended that the franchise should not be extended because comparatively few women really take any interest in public affairs and would exercise the right to vote even if it were given them. Well, we are not so sure about that. Perhaps the mere knowledge that a right existed to express a practical opinion might have the effect of stimulating interest on the part of the ladies in the manner in which affairs of state are administered. There is no doubt about the fact that the women of Australia are very active in political work and movements. Whether their zeal be due to the novelty of the thing or not it is the fact that on polling day of the late general election the women were earliest on hand in great numbers to cast their ballots. Whether they also voted often we cannot say. But there is no doubt that they were among the most enthusiastic of politicians. It may be that the ladies of Australia are differently constituted from the women of Canada, or again it may be that given the opportunity, the women of Canada would develop along lines similar to the political development of Australia. But at the present time there is no insistent agitation in this country for the franchise. It is doubtful, however, whether in this important matter we shall be permitted to lag behind progressive Australia or up-to-date Great Britain. We have not the slightest doubt that the ladies in this country will insist upon their rights, for that the granting of such rights will open up new economic and social problems. As we have no desire to tread on dangerous ground, except in case of absolute necessity, we shall leave the subject for the present, merely venturing to remark that when the personal equation and sentimental considerations become important factors in election contests, the successful political pilot will necessarily have to be very cautious as well as a handsome man.

The McBride government has done well in reserving all water on the Thompson peninsula for municipal purposes. As a city is in the process of making up, there it would be a blunder to let all the valuable water power pass into the hands of private parties. But have the members of the government not observed the developments in other sections of Canada? Has the fact not come under their observation that the province of Ontario, for instance, is taking measures to protect the rights of the people in all water powers that in the first instance are the property of the people and unquestionably should be utilized as far as possible for the public benefit?

The Montreal Star has completely lost patience with Mr. R. L. Borden and his followers, saying: "An opposition should never forget that it has a duty to perform as well as the government. It is a part of our system of government. In many cases, it is quite as great a disaster to the nation when the opposition falls in its duty as when the government falls, and before today electors have gone to the polls and sustained a government they did not

the only alternative party in the field. Votes of want of confidence in an opposition are not infrequent, and they are likely to become even more frequent if this policy of alternating 'dilly-dally' and blackguardism is to go on. The simple truth is that when an opposition loses faith in itself, or for any reason fails to be a virile, progressive and alert critic of the government and supporter in the path of advanced legislation, it should have the decency to resign in a body and permit men who will perform the duties of an opposition to take the vacant chairs."

The Vancouver World is entirely mistaken in saying the Times advocates the removal of the Normal School from Vancouver to Victoria. We have never asserted or suggested that anything of the kind should be done. We have contended that Victoria, educationally, should be placed on an equality with Vancouver.

ISLAND'S RAILWAY CONNECTION.

The following letter appeared in this morning's Colonist:—
In your reference to the city members in the late legislature who overlooked the fact that the Colonist has chosen the present as the time to inaugurate a vigorous campaign on the subject of Island-Mainland connection. In my former letter the matter was being discussed upon your own premises and from your own point of view which was that now is the time for action. It follows, therefore, that the present members are necessarily charged with the responsibility of pressing the matter on the attention of the government. Moreover, everyone will readily recognize that the present members possess the obvious and important advantage of being on the government side of the House. But in any case, there were considerations which rendered it inopportune to press the matter in the last House. The government and legislature had to face large financial obligations and responsibilities in connection with the new Westminster bridge and the debt for the dyking of the Fraser river districts aggregating about two million dollars. Moreover, it was only at the last session of the late legislature that the condition of the provincial finances began to take a favorable turn. The people in this portion of British Columbia are glad that the bridge at New Westminster has been built, and they can ever take a pride in it. Nor has there been any exception taken by the Island members to the large amount of public money that has been expended in reclaiming and protecting the fertile lands of the Fraser River valley. But it is just as well to recognize that the time has arrived when Vancouver Island is entitled to consideration at the hands of the provincial government.

It is also a fact that the general improvement in business conditions has brought with it an improvement in the provincial finances. Taking all these things into account together with the point brought out by Mr. Barnard in his letter that the present government have secured a majority which will enable them to carry out a progressive policy, it would seem that all things combine to render conditions favorable "to take occasion by the hand" in any opportunity that presents itself to improve the transportation facilities of this Island.

It is not a question of securing the construction of more transcontinental lines to the coast, for in the not far distant future we will have no less than four lines to the coast. The great object is to bring them to the Island. In view of the fact that the projected route of the Canadian Northern lies between that of the Grand Trunk Pacific and the C. P. R., and that it will reach the coast at a point nearest to Seymour Narrows, it does not seem that the suggestion made by Mr. Barnard in his letter has much to commend it to favorable consideration. The fact that this company were willing to enter into an arrangement of this kind at the time Col. Prior was elected to the legislature shows that they look favorably upon this route. Of course no such sacrifices on the part of the province could be entertained for a moment as were proposed at that time. In fact, the extent of government assistance required might be of such a nature as to entail comparatively little cost to the province, and at the same time be of such material benefit to the company, as to secure from them government control of rates, in addition to the Island connection.

Government ownership of railways is an end to be desired, especially when it is possible to operate a complete railway system as a government work, but we have to deal with things as they are, and if a favorable and reasonable arrangement can be brought about, there is no reason why our prejudices should prevent such an arrangement being carried out. A ferry can be satisfactorily operated, and in due time the bridge will follow, and there is no reason that the Dominion government should assist in such a large and costly undertaking when the time arrives.

R. L. DRURY.

A WORKER'S PROTEST.

To the Editor:—In your issue of February 28th I read a letter from some people calling themselves the Manufacturers' Association, sent to our Board

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of Trade urging them to protest against the eight hours bill being brought before the government at Ottawa at the present time. I am no socialist, but I would like to know what these people do that our government should listen to their long letters of protest? If they are so concerned about the eight hours law, why do they not go to the legislature and demand that it be passed? If they are so concerned about the eight hours law, why do they not go to the legislature and demand that it be passed? If they are so concerned about the eight hours law, why do they not go to the legislature and demand that it be passed?

do so knowing the conditions from hard experience, and as experience is the best teacher, we hope our government will take heed from men of his class who know whereof they speak, and not be influenced by this so-called manufacturers' association, that never did a day's work or never will.

ONE THAT WORKS.
Victoria, March 1st, 1907.
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ing Parlor to await the arrival of his
son from Salmon Arm.

—On March 8th a benefit concert will
be given by the children of the A. O. E.
in the A. O. U. hall in aid of the
children's ward of the Jubilee hospital.
The comic operetta, "A Trip to Cocos
Island," will be rendered. Between the
acts the Watson family and the A. O.
F. Pierrots will give musical and vocal
selections.

—The funeral of the late Robert
Mathews, of Saanich, took place this
morning from the Hanson parlors to Ross
Bay cemetery. Rev. Mr. Adams and Dr.
Reid officiating. The following acted
as pallbearers: J. Sluggitt, R. Fish, S.
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—The B. C. Fruit Growers' Association
will on March 7th at 7.30 p.m. hold
a meeting in Temperance hall, South
Saanich, to discuss topics of interest to
the association.

—E. Steele, of Calgary, yesterday
purchased the Revere house on Pan-
dora avenue from C. F. Beaven for
about \$7,000. Mr. Steele's plans regard-
ing his new purchase have not been
made public.

—The Law Society of British Colum-
bia will hold its annual meeting in the
court house at 10.30 a.m. Monday
next. The auditors' statement for the
year will be submitted and the general
business of the society wound up.

—Delegates from all parts of the pro-
vince will meet in the parliament build-
ings next week to arrange dates for the
fall fairs throughout the province. The
meeting will be under the auspices of
the B. C. Farmers' Institute and the
Dairymen's Association.

—The following are a few of the best
scores made by Victoria College cadets
at the drill hall this morning: Cadet
McCallum, 23; Cadet Rehili, 23; Cadet
Whitney, 23; Lieut. Richardson, 22;
Cadet Travis, 21; Cadet Chaseman, 21;
Cadet Hartman, 20; Cadet Taylor, 20;
Cadet Gray, 19; Cadet Pusey, 19; Cadet
J. Gray, 19; Cadet Corkie, 19.

—Sunday will be the closing day of
the Down Town Mission that has been
in successful operation for the past
month. At 4 p.m. a men's meeting will
be addressed by Mr. Wm. Major of
China. Miss Houghton will sing. At
8.30 Archdeacon Phair will speak on
the "Second Coming of Christ." Mrs.
Fisher and R. Morrison will sing.

—There was a large attendance at
the Church of Our Lord yesterday,
when Miss Evans, a returned mission-
ary from India, spoke at length of her
work there. Miss Evans dealt with
the difficulties of the work, and the
horror of the famine. She gave
a vivid description of her work among
the female descendants of the Mahat-
tas, the amans of the Mahat-
tas. Rev. T. W. Gladstone occupied
the chair.

—The two prisoners, Swanson and
Carney, charged with having held up
a citizen on the E. & N. track, near
the Songhees Indian reserve, were
brought before Judge Lampman this
morning in order to elect whether they
would await trial at the assizes or take
speedy trial. The two men decided to
take speedy trial, and the date for
hearing was fixed for Tuesday next.
H. Dallas Helmcken, K. C., appeared
for the crown. The prisoners were not
represented by counsel.

—On Thursday afternoon in Christ
church, Vancouver, Rev. C. Owen un-
der the leadership of Mrs. Crawford
daughter of Mr. J. G. Crawford, and
Mr. Kenneth J. Burns, general agent
of the Great Northern in British Col-
umbia, in the bonds of holy matrimony.
Mrs. Walker Evans was matron of
honor and Mr. Frank Knox Brown of
Tacoma, was best man. The newly-
wedded couple left immediately after
the ceremony for an extended tour of
the East, touching at Winnipeg, St.
Catherines, Toronto and New York.

—Another of British Columbia's pio-
neers passed into the beyond yester-
day in the person of Mrs. Mary Ann
Vine, of Pandar Bay, Metchoin. De-
ceased was a native of Kent, England.
She came to this country in 1853. A
husband and one daughter, besides a
host of friends, remain to mourn her
loss. Deceased was 82 years of age.
The funeral will take place Monday at
12.30 from the residence and 2.30 from
St. Mary's church, Metchoin. Flowers
may be left at the parlors of the B. C.
Funeral & Furnishing Co., not later
than 3 o'clock Monday morning.



LEAVES ESQUIMALT.

On her way to Comox, where she will
take in coal, H. M. S. Egeria passed in
yesterday, coming from Esquimalt.
From Comox the Egeria will go to
Prince Rupert, and from there con-
tinue her hydrographic work. Her
sphere of action this summer will be
along the northern coast of Graham
Island.

MARINE NOTES.

The annual general meeting of the
Victoria Dock Company, Limited, is
called for Tuesday, 12th of March, by
E. E. Blackwood, the secretary of the
company. The Victoria Dock Company
will operate the new wharf now being
constructed for the Alaska Steamship
Co.

The Alaska Steamship Company has
advised E. E. Blackwood, its local
agent, that commencing the 21st of
March it will put the steamship Jef-
ferson and Dolphin on a ten-day sched-
ule. These vessels run between Seat-
tle and Skagway, and the new schedule
will give a sailing every five days.

Coming from Tacoma the German
steamship Sals of the Koenigs line,
chartered Esquimalt harbor this morning.
There she will be docked and over-
hauled.

The Blue Funnel liner Titan sailed
from the outer wharf at 8.30 p.m. yester-
day. She has gone to Vancouver,
where she will discharge the remainder
of her cargo.

The Canadian-Australian liner will
leave from Vancouver to-day at 2 p.m.,
and will reach the outer wharf at 8
o'clock this evening.

C. P. R. steamer Queen City will sail
for Clayoquot Sound and way ports on
the West Coast of the Island to-night.
R. M. S. Empress of India bringing
the overseas mail is scheduled to
reach port to-morrow evening.

The C. P. R. Atlantic liner Empress
of Ireland is scheduled to reach Liver-
pool to-day.

With a passenger list of 1,012 the
Cunard liner Ivernia reached Boston
yesterday.

MCGILL ASSENTS.

Notification Received From Authorities
Granting Board's Wish.

Supt. Eaton this morning states that
official publication has been received
from McGill stating that the affiliation
asked by the Victoria school board will
be extended.

In December of last year the board,
looking ahead to the work to be done,
wrote McGill asking that they be allowed
to do second year work in arts and first
year work in science. At that time Prin-
cipal Peterson replied that he would use
his good offices with the corporation.

This has no connection with the pro-
posed establishment of a separate institu-
tion of learning here.

By mistake B. Lash, of View street,
was arrested charged with stealing
what turned out to be his own dog. Mr.
Lash is the possessor of a fine St.
Bernard dog, and it happens that at the
present time there is a reward of \$150
offered for a St. Bernard dog missing
from a house on the George road. A
member of the local police force not-
ticing the dog in Mr. Lash's possession
jumped to the conclusion that it was
the missing canine, and the result was
the unfortunate owner of the animal
was conveyed to the police station,
where he remained several hours be-
fore the mistake was cleared up.

The city of Victoria, B. C., is to be
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dio.—New York "Musical Courier,"
January 29d, 1907.

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THE STORY OF THE
MEN FROM BRUCEINTERESTING VOLUME
BY COUNTY TREASURERThe Aboriginal Era, The Fenian
Raid and History of Township
and Hamlet, Well Told.

The county council of Bruce, Ontario, have taken a step which is worthy of emulation by similar bodies throughout Canada. After a decade of research, Norman Robertson, the treasurer, has by direction of the council produced a history of the old county, which is full of interest to all who claim it as their birthplace.

Bruce and Huron, the Queen Bush of the forties in Ontario, were the "West" before the expanding boundaries of the national domain had given that term its present significance. Into it poured some of the stoutest people of the province. In the main young and vigorous men, who as the pioneers of that district constituted its aristocracy. To-day smiling fields and well tilled farms with handsome residences and substantial outbuildings stand every portion of Bruce, excepting perhaps the rugged peninsula where deer still run and tempt the third generation to sport because of the industry and diligence of their fathers in clearing the forest.

Mr. Robertson has discharged his task with great care, and each township and hamlet comes in for proper notice from his pen. The reader is carried back into the pre-settlement days when the Hurons lay in wait for the arrogant enemies, the Ironsides, and wrested a peace from them at the mouth of the Saugen river. Later came the birth of the fishing industry in Lake Huron and the opening of the lands to settlement. The red letter days are touched off in a sympathetic manner that stirs anew the pulse as it did when recounted around the firestone on a winter's night in early boyhood amid the very scenes and people described. What Bruce man has not heard of the Fenian raid, or what Fenian man can forget that his old militia company No. 4, sent to the front a body of men, fifty per cent of whom stood "six feet in their socks" strapping fellows, who were the admiration of the Goderich belles when they searched into the trenches there? Some of the sons of these men will be in Victoria to-day, and will doubtless avail themselves of the chance of obtaining one of Mr. Robertson's interesting volumes. Then there was the fight for the county seat, in which Victoria won, as political fights have so often been won by craft and shrewd work over boys which had more numerous supporters. Later came the rebellion of 1855, when the 32nd battalion were called out (the first rural battalion in Canada to be selected, for such an honor), and when the clamor for places in the ranks was so great that officers commanding companies had their rosters full, and in some cases reported their readiness to march twenty-four hours after notice of mobilization.

These are the picturesque features of the narrative, but the statistician and historian will be equally pleased with the careful compilation of facts, many of them obtained from old pioneers when just on the brink of the divide. It is one of the peculiarities of the county in question that it threw its sons like thickets down far and wide throughout the Dominion, and the middle west has been built up to a great degree by its vigorous sons. In British Columbia, it is estimated, there are two thousand Bruce men, and it is interesting to know that among the politicians (all Bruce men are ardent politicians), the Queen's Bush is well represented. Of the "solid seven" who sit for British Columbia in the Commons, three are from the Queen's Bush—Messrs. Sloan, Ross and Gallinger. Mr. Sloan was born in Huron and imbibed Liberalism in copious draughts from the Globe and from his uncle, John McMillan; Duncan Ross is from the "tench concession," and from boyhood

it was predicted by the old Highlanders that they would have to "put him in the government." The old man escaped domestication by leaving Walkerton when but a youth and earned his subsistence as a voyageur on the river and among the hills of this province. Leader J. A. Macdonald, of the British Columbia Liberals, is "free Huron," and when his wrath against the "first Conservative government" gets beyond 75 degrees Fahrenheit, he betrays it in a Highland trick of the tongue. Leader Ed. Brown, of the Manitoba Liberals, perhaps because he is from Paisley, is more highly civilized and does not "put on" his tartan into this peculiar infection.

It only remains to say that for two dollars Mr. Robertson, whose address is Walkerton, will send this volume to any son or daughter of the old county.

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TEMPERANCE MEETING
Will Be Held in the Old Grand Theatre To-Night.

Undoubtedly to-night's temperance meeting in the old Grand Theatre will be the biggest meeting of the old town mission which has been going on for the past month. The mission closes to-morrow night, and that great good has resulted from the effort is apparent to all who have been in touch with the work. It is sincerely to be desired that some means will be found for a continuation of the good work. To-night's meeting will be addressed by Dr. Ernest Hall, whose definite clear-cut expressions along the line of the licensed liquor traffic never fails to carry with them strong conviction. Rev. Mr. Gladstone, president of the Citizens League, will also speak, and Prof. Leslie Forster will conduct the volunteer choir. By special request Prof. Forster will sing "De Massa of de Sheep Fold." At 7.30 the members of the W. C. T. U. L. G. G. T. and R. S. of T. will meet at the theatre for a street meeting previous to the gathering in the theatre.

TIME TABLE.

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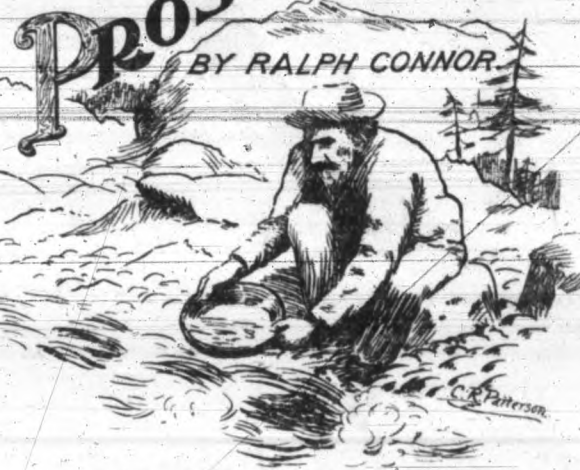
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THE PROSPECTOR



CHAPTER XII.—(Continued.)
"No, thanks," said Shock decisively. "That is your bed. I'll spread my blankets on the floor."
"In this country," said Stanton, "we give the stranger the bed, so you need not struggle to turn like out of his. Ike and I will take the floor."
"Not this time," said Shock firmly. "I am thankful enough for the shelter without taking a man's bed. Besides," he added, suddenly remembering, "Ike needs his bed to-night, after his sick turn."
"Yes, by Jove! By the way," exclaimed Stanton, "what happened, Ike?"
"A sudden and unexpected predisposition which takes me now and then," turning his back upon Shock and solemnly winking at The Kid; "but I recover just as quickly, and when I do I'm as sick as ever, and sicker. These here turns work off a lot of bad blood, I guess."
During his speech he continued winking at The Kid. That young gentleman gazed at him in amazed silence. Gradually, a light broke in upon him. "Look here, Ike, what in thunder do you mean?"
"I say, boss," said Ike persuasively, "just go easy. You oughtn't to excite yourself. Taint good for you, and taint good for me, either. My doctor says so. I wouldn't persecute your enquiries at this late hour of the night."
Ike's gravity was imperishable. "Well, I be blanded! I beg your pardon, Mr. Macgregor, Ike, you're a cool one. You've got the nerve of—Here The Kid began to laugh, and Shock, all unsuspecting of Ike's scheme for getting his boss out of the clutches of his spotters, gazed from the one to the other with an air of such absolute perplexity that The Kid went off into immoderate fits of laughter. Ike's gravity remained unbroken.
"All the same, boss," he said, "you want to keep an eye on that outfit. They'll get even. That man Cravey and the inspector ain't going to rest easy where they are. Marks like what you put on 'em burn to the bone."
"They cannot hurt me, Ike," said The Kid lightly. "And I think they will be afraid to try. But Mr. Macgregor here has got into trouble. Is not Macfarlane a church warden, or something, in your church?"
"He is a manager, I think," said Shock. "Pretty much the same thing."
"Well, he is a man to look out for. I can get along without him, but you cannot, can you? I mean, he can hurt you."
"No," said Shock quietly. "He cannot hurt me. The only man that can hurt me is myself. No other man can. And besides," he added, pulling a little Bible out of his pocket, "I have a Keeper, as Ike said."
As Shock opened the little Bible he became conscious of a sense of mastery. His opportunity had come. "Listen to this," he said, and he read in a voice of assured conviction: "The Lord is thy keeper. The Lord shall keep thee from all evil: he shall keep thy soul. The Lord shall keep thee going-out and thy coming in. From this time forth and forevermore."
He closed the book and put it in his pocket. "No," he said, "no man can hurt me." Then turning to Ike he said quietly, "I always say my prayers. My mother started me twenty-five years ago, and I have never seen any reason to quit."

While his tone was gentle and his manner simple, there was almost a challenge in his eyes. The fair face of young Stanton flushed through the tan. "You do your mother honors," he said, with quiet dignity.
"I say," said Ike slowly, "if you kin do it just as convenient, perhap' you'd say 'em out. Wouldn't do us no harm, eh, Kiddie?"
"No, I should be pleased," said Shock. "Thank you," said Shock. Then for a moment he stood looking first at Ike's grave face, and then at The Kid, out of whose blue eyes all the gay, reckless defiance had vanished.
"Don't imagine I think myself a bit better than you," said Shock hastily, voice and lip quivering.
"Oh, git out!" ejaculated Ike quickly. "That ain't sense."
"But," continued Shock, "perhaps I have had a little better chance. Certainly I have had a good mother."
"And I, too," said the boy, in a husky voice.
So the three knelt together in Ike's shack, each wondering how it had come about that it should seem so natural and easy for him to be in that attitude.
In a voice steady and controlled Shock made his prayer. Humility and gratitude for all that had been done for him in his life, an overwhelming sense of need for the life demanded in this God-forgotten country, and a great love and compassion for the two men with whom he had so strangely been brought into such close relation, swelled in his heart and vibrated through his prayer.
Ike's face never lost its impassive gravity. Whatever may have been his feelings, he gave no sign of emotion. But the lad that knelt on the other side of Shock pressed his face down hard into his hands, while his frame shook with choking, silent sobs. All that was holiest and tenderest in his past came crowding in upon him, in sad and terrible contrast to his present.
Immediately after the prayer Shock slipped out of the shack.
"I say, boss," said Ike, as he poked the fire, "he's a winner, ain't he? Guess he hits the sky all right, when he gets onto his knees. By the livin' Gimmie! when that feller gits a-go-in' he raises considerable of a promotion."
"Commotion, Ike," said The Kid gently. "Yes, I believe he hits the sky—and he says he needs a Keeper."
"Well," said Ike solemnly, "I have a hingerin' suspicion that you're correct, but if he needs a Keeper, what about us?"

CHAPTER XIII.

The President of Guy's, London.
Dr. Burton was never quite clear as to how he had found himself in the early morning on the Loon Lake trail, with a man whom he had never seen before, now, after he had discovered himself in that position, he had been persuaded to continue his journey, much less to take up with such enthusiasm the treatment of the cases to which he had been summoned by that same stranger. Indeed, he did not come to a clear consciousness of his sayings and doings until he found himself seated at a most comfortable breakfast in the house of the Old Prospector, with the same strange gentleman sitting opposite him. Even then, before reaching a solution of the problem as to how he had arrived at that particular place and in that particular company, to his amazement he found himself interested

ed in the discussion of the cases on which the Old Prospector had had little difficulty. Inflammatory rheumatism, with a complication of pneumonia, in itself not necessarily fatal, or even dangerous, but with a man of the Old Prospector's age and habits of life this complication might at any moment become serious. He left some medicine, ordered nourishing food, perfect rest and quiet, and was about to depart.
"How soon shall I be up, doctor?" enquired the Old Prospector.
"I wouldn't worry," was the answer.
"A week," if you are on your legs in a month you may be thankful."
"Doctor," said the Old Prospector in a tone of quiet resolution, "it is vitally important that I should be on my journey sooner than a month. My business admits of no delay."
"Well," said the doctor in his courteous, gentle tone, "if you move you will likely die."
"I shall certainly die if I do not."
For once the Old Prospector broke through his wonted philosophic calm. His voice trembled, and his eyes glittered in his excitement.
"Well, well," said the doctor soothingly, noting these symptoms, "wait a week or so. Follow the directions carefully, and we shall see."
"I shall wait a week, doctor, but no longer. In ten days I shall be on the trail."
"Well," repeated the doctor, looking keenly into the old man's face, "we won't worry about it for a week."
"No, for a week I am content."
Leaving the Old Prospector's shack, the doctor conducted the doctor to the little room at the back of the Stopping Place where little Patsy lay. At the door they were met by the mother, vociferous with lamentations, prayers, blessings and entreaties. Within the room, seated beside the bed, was Carroll, gloomy and taciturn.
The doctor drew back the blind and let in the morning light. It showed poor little Patsy, pale and wasted, his angelic face surrounded with a golden aureole of yellow curls that floated across the white pillow. The doctor was startled and moved.
"What is this?" he cried. "What is the matter?"
"Just an accident, doctor," said Mrs. Carroll volubly. "It was a blow he got."
"I struck him with a chair," said Carroll bitterly.
"What's now, darlin'. You're not to be blaming yourself at all, at all. Sure, you didn't mean to do it. And what's a bit of discussion between men? The little Patsy, the brave little fellow, that he is, run in to help his dad, so he did! And Mrs. Carroll, coming with a description, which became more and more incoherent and more and more broken with sobs and tears.
"It's a wonder he didn't kill him," said the doctor.
"Arrah, ye may say it. But they do be tellin' me that his reverence there, braynt, he stood in under the blow. God bless his soul! It's a halo he is—a halo!"
She ran toward Shock as if to embrace him, but Shock, who had come to know her ways, avoided her, dodging behind the door.
"Not at all," he said. "Any man would have done the same."
"Now, God pardon your reverence for the lie ye've told."
"But how did you get into the row?" asked the doctor, turning to Shock.
"And ye may ask," interrupted Mrs. Carroll. "It's all at that squirming little worm of a Frenchman. May the devil fly away with him! I can't say it, but Carroll there is quick with his tongue, and betimes with his hands, too—the high spirit that he has! But sure, it's a tinner heart he carries inside av him if they'd love him be."
Meantime the doctor had been proceeding with his examination, looking down upon the little man, so wasted, so beautiful. Then he shook his head sorrowfully.
"Ah, doctor, darlin'!" burst out Mrs. Carroll. "Don't say the worst! Don't say the worst!"
At this Carroll lifted his head and enquired briefly, "Will he get better, doctor?"
"He has a chance. He has a slight chance."
And with a look at Shock he left the room. After speaking a few words of comfort and hope to the mother Shock followed the doctor from the house.
"It is a case for trephining, I fear," said the doctor. "A clear case. It is the only chance he has, and it ought to be done at once."
"You mean to-day?" asked Shock.
"Yes, to-day. But—" the doctor hesitated. "I am not ready."
"I could get the instruments and anything else you might order," said Shock eagerly.
"No, it is not that," said the doctor. "The truth is, I have not the nerve. Nice confession to make, isn't it? Look at that hand."
He held out his hand as he spoke, and Shock saw that not only the hand, but the whole arm, indeed the whole gaunt frame of the doctor, was all in a tremble. Shock's experience in the city wars made him realize something of the shame and humiliation of the moment to the doctor. He hastened to turn his attention to a happier direction.
"You have performed this operation before?"
"Yes, frequently in the old country, once or twice here. I have seen some patients, sir, and the doctor, straightening himself up, "But there it is, holding out again his shaking hand."
"Well," said Shock, "we must wait till all this is ready."
"Yes," said the doctor. "Not before three days would I dare to touch a knife. In three days, sir, I shall return, bringing all the appliances necessary, and in the interval the time will not be entirely lost. We shall take every means to tone the boy up. By the way, I suppose there is someone in the village with sufficient nerve to render assistance?"
"I do not know. There is only one man in this country whom I can think of as being reliable for an affair of this

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kind. Do you happen to know of the cowboy, Ike?"
"The very man," said the doctor. "He lives on the Stanton ranch between this and the fort. We can see him on our way."
Before the doctor left for home he had called to prepare the Carrolls for the operation. At first Tim would not hear of it. He fiercely declared that he would kill any man that dared put a knife on his lad. His wife was equally determined that the operation should not take place.
"Very well," said the doctor, "then your boy will die, and, Carroll, I shall have you arrested for manslaughter forthwith."
(To be continued.)

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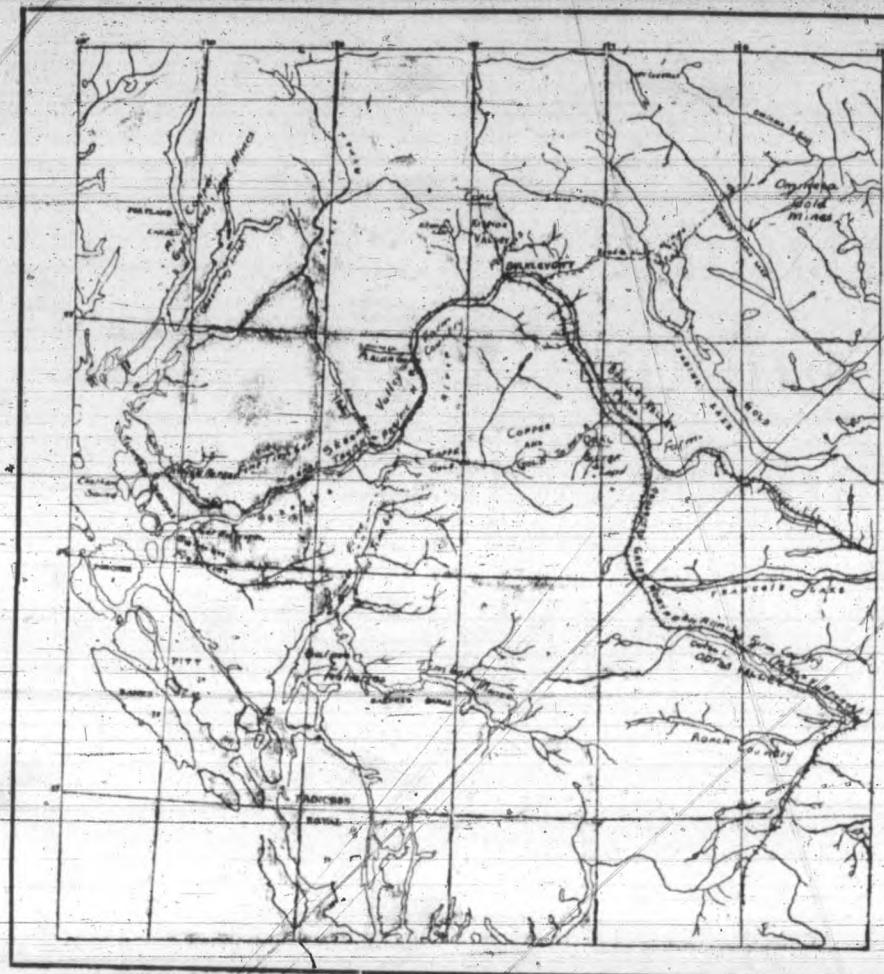
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London, Feb. 8.—The political world is disturbed this week by the news of the sudden death of Lord Goschen. He was suffering from a cold, but had so far recovered as to be out the day before his death. Lord Goschen was the son of a London merchant and grandson of George Joachim Goschen, a famous printer and publisher of *Punch*. A man of very strong character, he was one of the really great statesmen of the Victoria era—a great financier, a great educationalist and above all a great imperialist. One of the most remarkable speeches he ever made was at the foundation of the University Extension Movement, when he said: "Education is not only the means of livelihood, but the means of life." When he was first lord of the admiralty he did all he could for naval supremacy. In a word he was the very type of that much-abused and much misunderstood appellation—Liberal Imperialist.

Send Off For Bryce.

A cordial "send off" dinner was given to Mr. Bryce this week in anticipation of his departure to Washington to take up the important position of British ambassador there. In his speech he emphasized the pleasure he felt in taking over the duties of his new position, as there had always been a bond of sympathy between him and his American cousins. He hoped to further the friendly spirit which now existed between the two countries. The desire to understand America, her people and her institutions was a paramount one with English people.

Japan Reaches London.

The most remarkable thing about the Russo-Japan war was the discovery by the Western hemisphere that the Eastern part of the globe knew something about warfare and the despised Orientals not only knew how to conduct a long and arduous campaign, but had assimilated into their military system the most up-to-date methods of the supposedly more enlightened nations. Now they are going to teach us something else. The London County Council has invited a former minister of education in Japan, Baron Kikuchi, to give a series of lectures to London school teachers on educational methods in Japan, with the idea of bringing London methods more up-to-date. Paradox could hardly go further. Could anyone in his senses have suggested five years ago that Japan could lecture us on how to teach our offspring? Yet after all history but repeats itself, not Arabia supply us with our ancient system? Egypt is responsible for modern electricity, and in all

probability we shall discover that the game of bridge was played in China two thousand years ago.

Elephant Wasted Away.

The scientists are continually knocking our pet theories on the head, and by their incredulity have taken all the pathos and sentiment from an incident that happened in the Paris zoo. It is not about Caruso this time, but only refers to a humble elephant. The said elephant killed his keeper about a year ago and since then had been noticed to gradually wear away until at length he died, and no one could make out what caused his death. The French people are nothing if not sentimental, however, and arrived at the conclusion that the animal had died of a broken heart through remorse at having killed his keeper. But the worldly-wise men of science were not convinced by this theory, and after much discussion decided to make a post mortem examination of the elephant. Alas! for sentiment! Inside, poor Jumbo was found to be quite heart-whole and a collection of articles such as would have killed an ostrich of indigestion were in his stomach. What with nail-scissors, tooth brushes, manicure sets, pipes, coins, ladies' powder puffs and other interesting things it was hard for him to live. Even an elephant's stomach was not proof against such frivolous trumpery.

Board of Trade Returns.

The board of trade returns for January must inspire tariff reformers with despair. The new year has begun with a great boom in trade, the exports compared with the same month last year are up by 14,296,000, and if re-exports and bullion are added by 15,398,000. There is also a large increase in the imports amounting to over seven millions. Tariff reformers generally regard an increase in imports as a bad sign, but as the growth in this case is due mainly to a greater import of raw materials, such as cotton, wool and fute, it must be admitted that it is a good symptom.

Royal Visit to Paris.

Much speculation is rife about the sudden visit of the King and Queen to Paris, but His Majesty is emphatic in declaring that no political significance whatever can be attributed to his trip. He suddenly made up his mind that he wanted a little relaxation before the opening of parliament. Hence a flying visit to the French capital. But the wise ones amongst us hint darkly that there is more behind it, and that the real reason is connection with the trouble between France and the Pope. King Edward is act as mediator, and the story has gained ground that the Pope requested the Duke

of Norfolk to induce His Majesty to intervene. His Majesty, it is said, is much annoyed that such a construction was put on his visit. One of the drawbacks of being a King is that significance is attached to everything he does, no matter how harmless. He is coming back in time to open parliament in state next week.

Commission on Consumption.

The royal commission on tuberculosis has published its report. This document is of world-wide importance owing to the devastating character of the disease of consumption, and the thousands of lives that are sacrificed each year. The special object of this commission was to prove whether the bacillus in animals could be transmitted to human beings. The greatest authorities in Europe were employed in solving this problem for the benefit of mankind, and the result is that the consensus of opinion is emphatically towards the belief that unfortunately it can be transferred to man, and that one of the greatest causes of consumption is undoubtedly the feeding of infants on cow's milk, which, unknown to the purchaser, contains the germs of the disease. The commission recommended the strictest surveillance of the sources of our milk supply, and it is probable that in the coming season it is one of the things which will occupy the attention of parliament.

Kilts for London Wear.

The dandies who parade Bond street in immaculately cut clothes and seemingly have nothing else to occupy their shabby heads but the glories of their hat or the crease in their trousers are taking to a sartorial prospect that is before them for summer weather. Nothing less than the wearing of kilts. It is suggested that they should be a much cooler dress for London wear in summer, and certainly Bond street would gain in picturesque. The great advantage would be that the obnoxious silk hat would be abolished. It is a dire threat and enough to ruffle the feelings of the most blasé young man, and of course, if the men of fashion such as Monsieur Baskin, of Paris, and, shall we say, George Alexander, in London, set the example, there will be nothing left for would-be "mashers" to do but follow blindly.

Purple for Men.

The anticipation of spring is responsible, one supposes, for another departure that is about to take place in men's dress, for we hear that purple suits are the "fashion" for the coming season. The color was worn, but the craze for purple is predicted for this season. It is the thin edge of the wedge. We shall expect to hear of the introduction of lace ruffles before long. Men are getting tired of their sombre garb and are pining for a little variety evidently.

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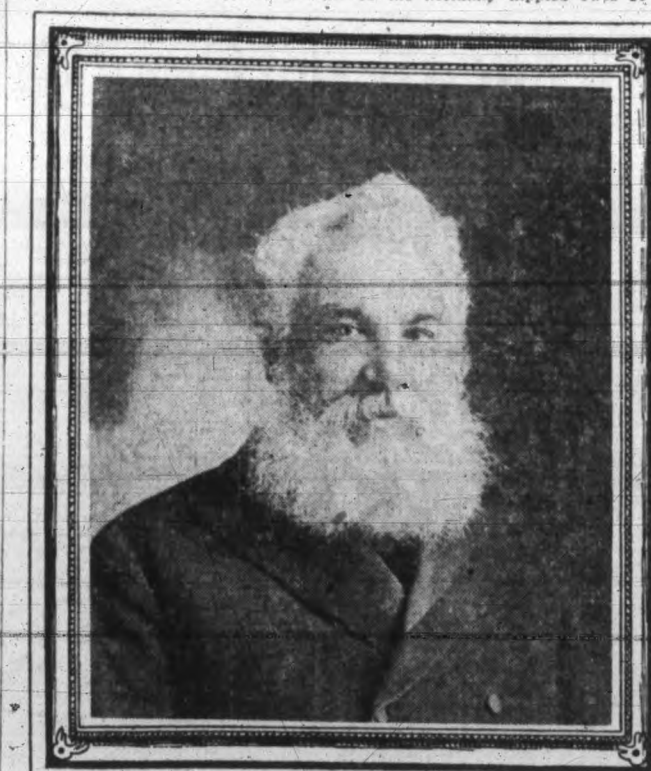
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The public are so familiar with the work of Alexander Graham Bell in connection with the Bell telephone, the graphophone, aerial, kites and other scientific discoveries that some of the by-products of science which he has exploited are not known to the world. One of these is the production of a herd of multi-nippled sheep with a view to the propagation of twin-bearing strains. The experiments connected with this pursuit were carried out when Mr. A. W. McCurdy, now of Vic-

torious, was Mr. Bell's secretary and assistant. It was in photographing these sheep that Mr. McCurdy, in turn, was led into the photographic researches which resulted in the valuable patents he has since disposed of to the Eastman Company. Mr. Bell describes his work as follows:



DR. A. G. BELL.

On two former occasions I have had the honor of presenting communications to the academy concerning the multi-nippled breed of sheep on my farm at Beln's Bhreagh, near the town of Baddeck, Nova Scotia. It will be remembered that in 1889, upon the purchase of some property at Beln's Bhreagh I found myself in pos-

session of a flock of sheep; and that in the spring of 1890, one-half of the lambs born upon the place turned out to be twins. This large percentage of twins led me to examine the mothers of all the lambs with the object of discovering, if possible, some peculiarity that would enable us to distinguish twin-bearing ewes from others. Upon examining the milk-bags of the ewes I was struck by the fact that some of the ewes had two nipples upon the milk-bag, but in the case of several of the sheep examined, supernumerary nipples were discovered which were embryonic in character and not in a functional condition. Some had three nipples in all, and some four. Of the normally nipped ewes 24 per

cent had twin lambs; but of the abnormally nipped 43 per cent had twins. The actual number of ewes, however, was so small (only 53) as to deprive the percentages of much significance. Still the figures were suggestive of a possible correlation between fertility and the presence of supernumerary nipples, and it seemed worth while to make an extended series of experiments to ascertain (1) whether, by selective breeding, the extra nipples could be developed so as to become functional, and (2) whether ewes possessing four functional nipples instead of two would turn out to be more fertile than other sheep and have a larger proportion of

twins. In regard to the first point mentioned no difficulty was experienced in developing the embryonic nipples into real functional mammae yielding milk; and for several years past the ewes born on Beln's Bhreagh (with extremely few exceptions) have possessed four functional nipples. Of recent years lambs possessing five and six nipples have appeared, and it is obvious that continued selective breeding would ultimately result in the production of a six-nippled variety of sheep. How far the number of functional mammae could be increased by selection it is of course impossible to predict; but it is worthy of note that one ewe has been born with four nipples on one side of the body and two on the other; and, as the supernumerary nipples have a tendency to appear in pairs, this probably foreshadows the possibility of an eight-nippled variety.

2. In regard to the second point mentioned the multi-nippled sheep have not proved to be more fertile than normally nipped sheep; and the proportion of twins born has been quite small. One peculiarity, however, is worthy of notice: The twin lambs, though usually smaller at birth than single lambs, speedily come up to the average of the flock in this respect—so that by autumn there is no substantial difference in weight between the single and twin lambs. The multi-nippled sheep are, therefore, able to rear more successfully than normally nipped sheep. This is an important point, and it suggests the advisability of attempting now—by the elimination of single lambs and the retention of twins for breeding purposes—to produce a twin-bearing stock.

At present the Beln's Bhreagh flock constitutes simply a scientific curiosity, and is of little practical value to the country. I propose to make it of value by engraving upon it the twin-bearing tendency. In Nova Scotia the winters unfortunately are long, and the cost of winter feeding proportionally great, but the country is otherwise admirably adapted for sheep raising upon a large scale. The production of a twin-bearing stock would do much to promote this important industry by enabling the farmer to make a double profit upon lambs without additional cost.

The proposed experiments, however, can not be made with a small flock, and the natural increase of the Beln's Bhreagh flock is so slow that many years would elapse before it would be practicable to carry out the plans proposed. I have sought to increase the size of the flock by the purchase of multi-nippled sheep from surrounding farms, but an examination of several thousand sheep has convinced me that it is no longer possible to purchase sheep having the characteristics of the Beln's Bhreagh flock to a useful degree. I, therefore, propose to purchase large numbers of ordinary two-nippled ewes and mate them with Beln's Bhreagh rams—segregating the present flock as much as possible. The multi-nippled lambs born to the normally nipped ewes will enable us to increase the size of the multi-nippled flock beyond its natural increase and be otherwise beneficial by the introduction of new blood; but the new blood will

probably be detrimental to the particular line of selection hitherto pursued and lead to a reduction in the percentage of multi-nippled offspring in that flock.

The present, therefore, seems to be a fitting time to place in the hands of those interested in evolutionary problems, a detailed account of the flock; and I have prepared for private circulation two pamphlets, one entitled "Multi-Nippled Sheep of Beln's Bhreagh, Living 1903, and Their Known Ancestors," the other "Sheep Catalogue of Beln's Bhreagh, Showing the Origin of the Multi-Nippled Sheep of Beln's Bhreagh and Giving all the Descendants Down to 1903." I have great pleasure in presenting the first copies of these pamphlets to members of the academy specially interested in the subject.

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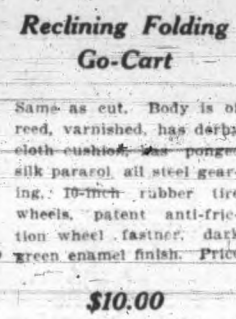
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